

**AMENDMENT TO THE AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE
OF A SUBSTITUTE TO H.R. 4312
OFFERED BY MR. CARTER OF LOUISIANA**

At the end of the bill, add the following:

1 SEC. ____ . FINANCIAL SUPPORT FOR COMPLIANCE ACTIVI-
2 TIES.

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 1 year after the
4 date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Edu-
5 cation shall establish and implement a program to provide
6 financial support to each covered entity to assist such enti-
7 ty with the costs of activities necessary to comply with
8 this Act, including the amendments made by this Act.

9 (b) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There is
10 authorized to be appropriated to carry out this section
11 \$125,000,000.

12 (c) COVERED ENTITY DEFINED.—The term “covered
13 entity” means any historically black college or university
14 that was established prior to 1964, whose principal mis-
15 sion was, and is, the education of black Americans, and
16 that is accredited by a nationally recognized accrediting
17 agency or association determined by the Secretary of Edu-
18 cation to be a reliable authority as to the quality of train-
19 ing offered or is, according to such an agency or associa-

- 1 tion, making reasonable progress toward accreditation as
- 2 defined by the Higher Education Act of 1965.

